## PATENT APPLICATION

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Applicant:

Satoru Tange

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PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING)

ELASTICALLY STRETCHABLE AND}

CONTRACTIBLE COMPOSITE SHEET

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**Assistant Commissioner for Patents** Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant wishes to bring to the attention of the Examiner the documents identified on the attached form PTO-1449. Applicant respectfully requests that these documents be made of record in the present application.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after three months of the U.S. filing but before the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits. No certification or fee is required.

Each English language reference was cited in a corresponding foreign application search report or office action and its relevance discussed therein. A copy of the foreign search report or office action is attached for the Examiner's information.

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